Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, Fedora, South Dakota, began its existence as Miner or Miner Center, but changed its name upon learning that another city already bore the name. One version is that when Chris Winters opened a general store, one of the most popular items of his stock of merchandise was the "Fedora" hat, and the townspeople, enamored with the hat and its name, chose to name their community Fedora; and,

WHEREAS, M. F. Robinson had a post office about a mile west of what is now Fedora, and he later moved the post office into town where a creamery had been established; and,

WHEREAS, Chris Winters erected his general store; and an elevator, an implement shop and a blacksmith shop soon opened their doors for business; and,

WHEREAS, Since the early days of Fedora's existence on the prairie of South Dakota, her people have been renown for their neighborliness, friendliness and pioneer spirit; and,

WHEREAS, The townspeople of Fedora are planning festivities and commemorations of the town's history and will be engaging in the "Fedora Territorial Celebration" on July 6 and 7, 1985:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim July 6 and 7, 1985, as

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in South Dakota, and I join the people of this state in wishing Fedora's citizens a celebration filled with joy and many more years as a healthy, prosperous community.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, In Pierre, the Capital City, this Thirteenth Day of December, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Four

WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

ALICE KUNDERT, SECRETARY OF STATE

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